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The House met at 10 a.m. and was norah, the Christ candle, or the kinara, called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. DENHAM).

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

> Washington, DC, December 23, 2016.

I hereby appoint the Honorable JEFF DENHAM to act as Speaker pro tempore on

> PAUL D. RYAN. Speaker of the House of Representatives.

PRAYER

Reverend Alisa Lasater Wailoo, Capitol Hill United Methodist Church, Washington, D.C., offered the following prayer:

Gracious God, thank You for this day.

This week, Your children will cele-Hanukkah, Christmas, Kwanzaa. No matter if we light the meopen us to see new truths about You and Your love.

As we work today, reveal to us the beauty and gifts inside each person we encounter and represent.

Enlighten us to the greatest needs in our world and where You want us to

Enlighten us to the biases and bigotries within us that hinder healing in our Nation.

Enlighten us to real dangers and save us from false fears.

Bless each Member, their tireless staffers, and all House employees. Grant them safe travels and a week of rest, restoration, and revelation.

I pray in the name of the baby Jesus, born without shelter, forced by Herod to flee to Egypt as a refugee who, not in spite of but through his circumstances, became the light of salvation.

Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 2(a) of House Resolution 944, the Journal of the last day's proceedings is approved.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 2(b) of House Resolution 944, the House stands adjourned until 2 p.m. on Tuesday, December 27, 2016.

Thereupon (at 10 o'clock and 3 minutes a.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Tuesday, December 27, 2016, at 2 p.m.

EXPENDITURE REPORTS CONCERNING OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL

Reports concerning the foreign currencies and U.S. dollars utilized for Official Foreign Travel during the third quarter of 2016 pursuant to Public Law 95-384, are as follows:

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, JEFFREY DRESSLER, EXPENDED BETWEEN OCT, 28 AND NOV. 4, 2016

	Date			Per diem ¹		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
Name of Member or employee	Arrival	Departure	Country	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²
Jeffrey Dressler	10/29 10/30 11/2	10/30 11/2 11/4	BahrainUAEOman		122.00 564.00 544.00		*14,462.00				14,584.00 564.00 544.00
Committee total					1,230.00		14,462.00				15,692.00

¹ Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.

JEFFREY DRESSLER, Nov. 20, 2016.

☐ This symbol represents the time of day during the House proceedings, e.g., ☐ 1407 is 2:07 p.m. Matter set in this typeface indicates words inserted or appended, rather than spoken, by a Member of the House on the floor.



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² If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended. *Transportation all included,

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, DELEGATION TO TURKEY, EXPENDED BETWEEN NOV. 17 AND NOV. 22, 2016

Name of Member or employee	Date			Per diem ¹		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure	Country	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²
Hon. Mike Turner	11/18	11/22	Turkey		1.412.00		8,996,00				10.408.00
	11/18		Tl		1,412.00		6,919.00				8.331.00
Hon. Gerry Connolly		11/22									
Hon. Rob Bishop	11/18	11/22	Turkey		1,412.00		8,996.00				10,408.00
Hon. Jim Sensenbrenner	11/18	11/22	Turkey		1,412.00		11,622.00				13,034.00
Hon. Mario Diaz-Balart	11/19	11/22	Turkey		1,059.00		8,364.00				9,423.00
Jessica Calio	11/17	11/22	Turkey		1,765.00		8,276.00				10,041.00
Janice Robinson	11/17	11/22	Td		1,765.00		8.276.00				10.041.00
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Ed Rice	11/17	11/22	Turkey		1,765.00		8,276.00				10,041.00
Committee total					12,002.00		69,725.00				81,727.00

HON. MICHAEL R. TURNER, Dec. 15, 2016.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

7971. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Specialty Crops Program, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's interim rule Changes to Reporting and Notification Requirements and Other Clarifying Changes for Imported Fruits, Vegetables, and Specialty Crops [Doc. No.: AMS-SC-16-0083; SC16-944/ 980/999-1 IR] received December 20, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Agriculture.

7972. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule - Pesticides; Certification of Pesticide Applicators [EPA-HQ-OPP-2011-0183; FRL-9956-70] (RIN: 2070-AJ20) received December 14, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868): to the Committee on Agriculture.

7973. A letter from the PRAO Branch Chief, Food and Nutrition Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program: Photo Electronic Benefit Transfer (EBT) Card Implementation Requirements [FNS-2016-0003] (RIN: 0584-AE45) received December 20, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251: (110 Stat. 868): to the Committee on Agriculture.

7974. A letter from the Assistant Director for Legislative Affairs, Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, transmitting the Bureau's Semi-Annual Report to Congress, pursuant to Sec. 1016 of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act of 2010; to the Committee on Financial Serv-

7975. A letter from the Director, Office of Legislative Affairs, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's Major final rule - Recordkeeping for Timely Deposit Insurance Determination (RIN: 3064-AE33) received December 20, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Financial Services.

7976. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Administration for Children and Families, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final - Runaway and Homeless Youth (RIN: 0970-AC43) received December 20, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121. Sec. 251: (110 Stat. 868): to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

7977. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's Report to Congress On Coordination of Federal HIV Programs for FYs 2014-2015, pursuant to title XXXVI of the Public Health Service Act, 42 U.S.C. 300ff-11 et seq.; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7978. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule - Revisions to the Unregulated Contaminant Monitoring Rule (UCMR 4) for Public Water Systems and Announcement of Public Meeting [EPA-HQ-OW-2015-0218; FRL-9956-71-OW] (RIN: 2040-AF49) received December 14, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7979. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule - Reclassification of the Sheboygan, Wisconsin Area to Moderate Nonattainment for the 2008 Ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standards [EPA-R05-OAR-2016-0277; FRL-9956-95-Region 5] received December 14, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7980. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule - Determination of Nonattainment and Reclassification of the Houston-Galveston-Brazoria 2008 8-hour Ozone Nonattainment Area; Texas [EPA-R06-OAR-2016-0275; FRL-9956-08-Region 6] received December 14, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7981. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule - Bifenthrin; Pesticide Tolerances for Emergency Exemptions [EPA-HQ-OPP-2016-0236; FRL-9954-47) received December 14, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7982. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule - Approval and Limited Approval and Limited Disapproval of Air Quality Implementation Plans; California; Northern Sonoma County Air Pollution Control District; Stationary Source Permits; Correcting Amendment [EPA-R09-OAR-2016-0240; FRL-9956-65-Region 9] received December 14, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7983. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule - Air Plan Approval; TN; Revisions to the Knox County Portion of the TN SIP [EPA-R04-OAR-2016-0359: FRL-9956-63-Region 4] received December 14, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7984. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule - Air Plan Approval; Tennessee; Regional Haze Progress Report [EPA-R04-OAR-2013-0799; FRL-9956-90-Region 4] received December 14, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7985. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule - Redesignation of the Ohio portion of the Cincinnati, Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Area to Attainment of the 2008 Ozone Standard [EPA-R05-OAR-2016-0269; FRL-9956-60-Region 5] received December 14, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7986. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Redesignation of the Columbus, Ohio Area to Attainment of the 2008 Standard [EPA-R05-OAR-2016-0372; Ozone FRL-9956-59-Region 5] received December 14, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7987. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's direct final rule - Air Plan Approval; Michigan; Part 9 Miscellaneous Rules [EPA-R05-OAR-2015-0845; FRL-9956-62-Region 5] received December 14, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7988. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule - Significant New Use Rules on Certain Chemical Substances; Technical Correction [EPA-HQ-OPPT-2016-0207; FRL-9956-13] (RIN: 2070-AB27) received December 19, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7989. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule - Protection of Visibility: Amendments to Requirements for State Plans [EPA-HQ-OAR-2015-0531; FRL-9957-05-OARI (RIN: 2060-AS55) received December 19. 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7990. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental

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